

Notice of Allowability

Application No.

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Examiner

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Applicant(s)

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All claims being allowable, PROSECUTION ON THE MERITS IS (OR REMAINS) CLOSED in this application. If not included herewith (or previously mailed), a Notice of Allowance (PTOL-85) or other appropriate communication will be mailed in due course. **THIS NOTICE OF ALLOWABILITY IS NOT A GRANT OF PATENT RIGHTS.** This application is subject to withdrawal from issue at the initiative of the Office or upon petition by the applicant. See 37 CFR 1.313 and MPEP 1308.

1. ☒ This communication is responsive to September 8, 2006.
2. ☒ The allowed claim(s) is/are 32-60.
3. ☒ Acknowledgment is made of a claim for foreign priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119(a)-(d) or (f).
 - a) ☐ All b) ☐ Some* c) ☐ None of the:
 1. ☒ Certified copies of the priority documents have been received.
 2. ☐ Certified copies of the priority documents have been received in Application No. _____.
 3. ☐ Copies of the certified copies of the priority documents have been received in this national stage application from the International Bureau (PCT Rule 17.2(a)).

* Certified copies not received: _____.

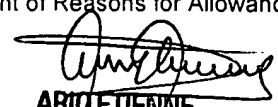
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THIS THREE-MONTH PERIOD IS NOT EXTENDABLE.

4. ☐ A SUBSTITUTE OATH OR DECLARATION must be submitted. Note the attached EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT or NOTICE OF INFORMAL PATENT APPLICATION (PTO-152) which gives reason(s) why the oath or declaration is deficient.
 5. ☐ CORRECTED DRAWINGS (as "replacement sheets") must be submitted.
 - (a) ☐ including changes required by the Notice of Draftsperson's Patent Drawing Review (PTO-948) attached
 - 1) ☐ hereto or 2) ☐ to Paper No./Mail Date _____.
 - (b) ☐ including changes required by the attached Examiner's Amendment / Comment or in the Office action of Paper No./Mail Date _____.
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6. ☐ DEPOSIT OF and/or INFORMATION about the deposit of BIOLOGICAL MATERIAL must be submitted. Note the attached Examiner's comment regarding REQUIREMENT FOR THE DEPOSIT OF BIOLOGICAL MATERIAL.

Attachment(s)

1. ☒ Notice of References Cited (PTO-892)
2. ☐ Notice of Draftsperson's Patent Drawing Review (PTO-948)
3. ☐ Information Disclosure Statements (PTO/SB/08), Paper No./Mail Date _____
4. ☐ Examiner's Comment Regarding Requirement for Deposit of Biological Material
5. ☐ Notice of Informal Patent Application
6. ☐ Interview Summary (PTO-413), Paper No./Mail Date _____
7. ☒ Examiner's Amendment/Comment
8. ☒ Examiner's Statement of Reasons for Allowance
9. ☐ Other _____


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EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT

1. An examiner's amendment to the record appears below. Should the changes and/or additions be unacceptable to applicant, an amendment may be filed as provided by 37 CFR 1.312. To ensure consideration of such an amendment, it MUST be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee.

Authorization for this examiner's amendment was given in a telephone interview with Adrian Lee Reg. No. 42,785 on November 23, 2006

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend claims 52 and 60 as follows:

52. (Currently Amended) An information delivery system comprising:

- one or more push delivery control units comprising: means for receiving from a wireless terminal data about said wireless terminal; means for receiving data about the summary content from ~~said~~ push server; means for deciding a wireless terminal to which the summary content is to be transmitted according to the data about said wireless terminal and the data about the summary content, and means for transmitting to said push server information about the decided wireless terminal to which the summary content is to be transmitted, and allowing said push server to transmit the summary content only to the wireless terminal to which the summary content is to be transmitted, the wireless terminal comprising means for transmitting data about said wireless terminal to a push delivery control unit; means for receiving summary content which is decided to be deliverable by said push delivery control unit from a push server for storing the

summary content which is a summary of detailed content; means for displaying the received summary content according to data about said wireless terminal that is not transmitted to said push delivery control unit, the data differing from the data about said wireless terminal which is transmitted to said push delivery control unit; means for instructing a pull server to transmit the detailed content corresponding to the received summary content; and means for receiving the detailed content corresponding to the received summary content from said pull server; and

- one or more wireless terminals as claimed in claim 32.

60. (Currently Amended) A computer-readable storage medium having thereon computer-executable instructions that are structured such that, when executed by one or more processors of a computing system, cause the computing system to perform a control method comprising the steps of:

- transmitting data about said wireless terminal to a push delivery control unit;
- receiving summary content which is decided to be deliverable by said push delivery control unit from a push server for storing the summary content which is a summary of detailed content;
- displaying the received summary content according to data about said wireless terminal that is not transmitted to said push delivery control unit, the data differing from the data about said wireless terminal which is transmitted to said push delivery control unit;
- instructing a pull server to transmit the detailed content corresponding to the received summary content; and

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- receiving the detailed content corresponding to the received summary content from said pull server.

Reasons for Allowance

2. The following is an examiner's statement of reasons for allowance: the closet prior art of record (Fox et al., U.S. Pat. No. 6,654,786) and Steinberg (U.S. Pat. No. 6,618,763) does not teach nor suggest in detail means for displaying the received summary content according to data about said wireless terminal that is not transmitted to said push delivery control unit, the data differing from the data about said wireless terminal which is transmitted to said push delivery control unit in combination with all the elements of the independent claims.

3. The dependent claims further limit the independent claims and are considered allowable on the same basis as the independent claims.

Any comments considered necessary by applicant must be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee and, to avoid processing delays, should preferably accompany the issue fee.

Such submissions should be clearly labeled "Comments on Statement of Reasons for Allowance."

4. Claims **32-60** are allowed.

Conclusion

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to LaShonda T. Jacobs whose telephone number is 571-272-4004.

The examiner can normally be reached on 8:30 A.M.-5:00 P.M..

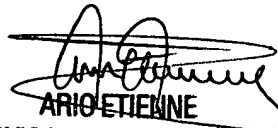
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If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Ario Etienne can be reached on 571-272-4001. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.

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